

# THE CHAMPION CHRONICLE

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CHAMPION, (Alberta) THURSDAY, FEB. 11, 1927



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8 Gene Tunney.

Coming Next Week, Bebe  
Daniels in Stranded in Paris.

## Postponed Carnival Big Success

Splendid weather assisted in making the carnival on Friday night a real success. While the turnout was not as large as might have been expected there were many handsome costumes and the event was enjoyable in every way. The races were snappy and the programme was handled with an efficiency that was highly commendable. The music provided by the orthophonic victrola was highly appreciated by the skaters.

Following are the prize winners:

Best Lady's Costume—Mrs. B. Woodhull.

Best Gent's Costume—W. L. Bretall.

Best Girl's Costume—Helen McCullough.

Best Boy's Costume—Theodore Holmes.

Best Lady's Comic—Mrs. F. C. Clapp.

Best Gent's Comic—A. Hunt.

Boy's Race, 8 to 10—1st: George Smith, 2nd: R. Latiff.

Boy's Race, 10 to 12—1st: Glenn Racher, 2nd: Loyd Miliken.

Boy's Race, 12 to 14—1st: Don Stephenson, 2nd: Wayne Anderson.

Open Men's Race—1st: Andrew Anderson, 2nd: Harold Stephenson.

Girl's Race up to 12—1st: Myrtle Hopkins, 2nd: Ada Williamson.

Girl's Race up to 16—1st: Myrtle Hopkins.

Lady's Open Race—1st: Mrs. B. Hammel, 2nd: Forbes McGillivray.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hoskins spent the week end in Calgary.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Otto Miller, of Champion, on Tuesday February 1st, a daughter, at Miss Hood's hospital—Carmagay Sun.

The masquerade dance at Alston was the biggest and best event of the kind ever held in that vicinity, over ninety couples being on the floor. A list of the prize winners failed to reach the office in time for this issue.

The editor of The Chronicle is at Banff for this week with a Champion rink, playing in the bonspiel. While it was considered that preparations had been made to prevent the public suffering in any way from this cause, several little things have happened which had it been possible to have foreseen them, might have resulted in the shoemaker sticking to his last in this instance. However, the future will provide ample room for amends.

Two witnesses in a Regina court were sent to the penitentiary for committing perjury while giving evidence. Judges in many western courts have in recent years found cause to lament the prevalence of this practice, and to utter warnings that punishment would have to follow unless there developed a more serious regard for the sanctity of the oath. The Regina court has gone one better, and applied the penalty which properly attaches to the offence. If the precedent were followed elsewhere the ends of justice would be served and the dignity of the courts preserved.—Calgary Albertan.

Most of the Alberta Wheat Pool directors are making their customary annual rounds of their districts addressing meetings. These meetings are principally for Pool members, but non-Pool farmers and citizens in other walks of life are urged to be present. These meetings afford an excellent opportunity to learn about the operations of the Pool.

## Vancouver Port Wants Our Trade

The Vancouver Province has a very sensible article on the relations of the port of Vancouver and the Alberta Wheat Pool. One finds it difficult to understand why any important element at Vancouver should sow dissension between the port of that city and the pool. Vancouver wants traffic for its port and the pool is sending large volumes of traffic to it; this volume will grow larger as facilities at Vancouver permit and as conditions in the grain trade make profitable shipments via the Pacific. The port and the pool should work in harmony and will so work if the good judgment of both parties prevail.—Calgary Herald.

## Settlers Must Comply With Laws

The Hon. George Hoadley, replying to a complaint in regard to the Huterites in the vicinity of Magrath and other southern points to the effect that this sect was granted special privileges in connection with public schools and were in consequence weakening schools at points where they settled, assures the complainants that any sect must comply with the laws of the country in regard to schools.

## Farmers Strong On Board of Trade

The Champion Board of Trade would appear to be passing largely into the hands of the farmers, to judge by two meetings recently held. This district is a very important one if only wheat production is taken into consideration and there is no earthly reason why there should not be an organization here that would have a generally beneficial effect by looking after local interests. So long, however, as citizenship and others fail to attend the meetings called and if there is any difference of opinion, through the matter out all together, there is no hope of progress being made. There was a day when it was thought the farmers could never get together to any effect. Here, it would appear, the residents in town are hopelessly entangled in an aimless individuality.

## Honey Production Is Increasing

Honey production in Alberta is on the increase. In 1925, a total of 115,000 pounds was produced with a value of \$23,000. In 1926, nearly twice as much was produced with a value of over \$36,000. One man alone in Alberta produced last year nearly 50 tons, while another produced 16 tons—both of these being in the Lethbridge district. It has been predicted by well-known bee expert that Alberta will be one of the largest exporters of honey within ten years.

## Drought Kills Cattle In South Africa

Forty thousand cattle have died, three rivers have dried up, and the natives are swarming to the towns fearing starvation, says a Johannesburg, South Africa, dispatch to the London Daily Mail, owing to the worst drought in living memory in the Transvaal district of the Transvaal. Lions, born of the scarcity of food, are said to be raiding the cattle kraals constantly.

Bert Gill, M. Moffatt and P. M. Patterson, were Calgary visitors during the week.

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Pure Raspberry Jam, 4 lb. pails, each..... .75

Mixed Biscuits just in, per lb..... .40

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Ladies Blouses to clear, silk knitted rayon, some with long sleeves to clear at \$1.50, regular \$3.50 and \$3.95.

New spring goods are coming in every day now. Come in and look them over. A large assortment of color in Japanese, cotton crepe, also new rayon gigham.

MRS. THERRIault

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THURSDAY, FEB. 10, 1927

The Provincial Department of Agriculture is being besieged at present with requests for the establishment of fur farms, and for licenses to trap animals over large areas, including rights on many of the lakes in the province.

Present Wheat Pool contracts expire with the handling of the 1927 crop, and new contracts are being prepared for another sign-up. Saskatchewan and Manitoba are making similar plans. The present contract in use in Manitoba runs for five years from the date of the signing. In Alberta and Saskatchewan all contracts expire at the same time.

## Provincial Seed Fair Was Big Success

The Alberta Provincial Seed Fair held at Edmonton last week was the most successful in the history of the Fair. The exhibits were more numerous and of a finer variety than had previously been seen. The champion of the fair in both wheat and oats was Herman Treile, world's wheat and oats champion, who also took most of the prizes in these grains in his own zone. In the southern zone, the first prizes in the wheat classes were won by C. C. Keller of Cayley; Mahlon Watson of Provost, and J. R. Hannaford of Howie.

In oats, the first prizes in zone two were taken by Herman Treile and N. Linden, of Wetaskiwin, and in zone one the first prizes in oats were taken by E. C. Wagner of Nanton and Major Strange of Fern.

In barley, in zone one, the first prizes were won by C. Makled of Brooks and E. B. Tudor of Strathmore, and in zone two by Chas. Meeks of Manville, Norman Peek of Leduc and A. Lougheed of Bowden. The championship of the province in barley was won by Chas. Meeks of Manville.

The first prize in field peas was taken by J. T. Hill, of Lloydminster who won first in this product at Chicago. In corn, the first prize winners were Smith of Lethbridge, Wor they of Medicine Hat, Hollinger of Redfield, Ripley of Atlea, Casebeer of Morrin, Russell of Lethbridge.

Meeks of Manville was first winner in flax, winter rye and spring rye. Robert Cochran of Grande Prairie, a Chicago winner, was first in timothy. E. C. Boyd of Rife was first in alfalfa, hard variety, and W. A. Philpot of Brooks was first in reg interer Grimm's alfalfa, and he also won the Grimm Alfalfa Association's trophy.

The Robin Hood Mills special in wheat was won by Treile, and the Alberta Seed Growers' special was won by A. Gosling of Dalmead. The U.G.G. trophy in oats was won by Treile, and Gosling won the Seed Growers' trophy in this class also. The Canada Malting Co. special in barley was won by Meeks.

Richard Tudor of Strathmore was first in wheat in the boy and girl section, and Mary Bolt of Olds first in oats, with D. J. Bolt first in barley. Kathleen Gilpin of Viking won first in the weed collection and in the essay on weeds.

The Commercial Life special was won by Treile, with Major Strange second.

Brooks was first in agricultural society displays.

At the annual meeting of the Seed Growers D. H. Galbraith of Nanton

Golden Rule W. I.  
1927 Programme

**January Sixth**  
Hostess.....Mrs. Arthur Wannop.  
Business Meeting.  
Roll Call.....Current Events.

**January Nineteenth**  
Meeting Alton Hall.  
Planning Year's Programme.  
Roll Call.....Current Events.

**February Third**  
Hostess.....Mrs. W. M. Isaacson.  
Sewing for Bazaar.  
Roll Call.....Current Events.

**February Seventeenth**  
Hostess.....Mrs. G. Galbraith.  
St. Valentine's Party.  
Roll Call.....Valentine Verse.

**March Third**  
Hostess.....Mrs. Albert Wannop.  
Agriculture.....Mrs. Geo. Wighton.  
Roll Call.....Agricultural Hints.

**March Seventeenth**  
Hostess.....Mrs. Brown McDonald.  
St. Patrick's Party.  
Roll Call.....Irish Wit.

**April Seventh**  
Hostess.....Mrs. Pharis.  
District Conference Report.  
Roll Call.....Current Events.

**April Twenty-First**  
Hostess.....Mrs. Mary Zang.  
Child Welfare.....Mrs. W. M. Isaacson.  
Roll Call.....Suggestions on Child Welfare.

**May Fifth**  
Hostess.....Mrs. John Archibald.  
Famous Women Contest.  
Roll Call.....Sayings of Famous Women.

**For Sale**  
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**May Nineteenth**  
Hostess.....Mrs. E. E. Lawrence.  
Paper from Good Deeds W. I.  
Roll Call.....What will Make a Better Institute?

**June Second**  
Entertain Institute.  
**June Twenty-Third**  
Entertain Husbands.

**July Seventh**  
Hostess.....Mrs. A. E. Vasey.  
Legislation.....Mrs. D. H. Galbraith.  
Roll Call.....Current Events.

**July Twenty-First**  
Hostess.....Mrs. Geo. Wighton.  
Cooking Demonstration.  
Roll Call.....Favourite Recipes.

**August Fourth**  
Hostess.....Mrs. A. D. Nelson.  
Book Review.....Mrs. J. W. Cain.  
Roll Call.....Canadian Authors.

**August Eighteenth**  
Hostess.....Mrs. Galloway.  
Musical Programme.  
Roll Call.....Famous Composers.

**September First**  
Hostess.....Mrs. Earl Mill.  
Question Box.  
Roll Call.....Current Events.

**September Fifteenth**  
Hostess.....Mrs. D. H. Galbraith.  
Education and Better Schools.....Mrs. Arthur Wannop.  
Roll Call.....Current Events.

**October Sixth**  
Hostess.....Mrs. C. Zahnd.  
Sewing Demonstration.....Mrs. A. D. Nelson.  
Roll Call.....Current Events.

**October Twenty-Eighth**  
Hallowe'en Party.  
Hostess.....Mrs. L. N. Warren.  
Canadianization and Immigration.....Mrs. Archibald.  
Roll Call.....Current Events.

**November Seventeenth**  
Hostess.....Mrs. Frank Beingsen.  
Thanksgiving Programme.  
Roll Call.....Current Events.

**December First**  
Hostess.....Mrs. L. B. Ohlweiser.  
Annual Meeting.  
Roll Call.....Suggestions for New Programme.

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Jack.  
1 14 inch Walking Plow.  
1 Scuffler  
1 Pump Jack  
8 Sets of Breeching Harness  
1 Stock Saddle

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WORLD HAPPENINGS  
BRIEFLY TOLD

General Sir James Willocks, distinguished soldier and governor of Benares, from 1917 to 1922, died at Benares, India, recently.

All the supplies needed to create a new civil division in Ireland were found by military guards in the mountainous district of Donegal, 12 miles from Cork.

An entire colony of Monmouth, 200 in all, the religious sect which has maintained a settlement in Western Canada for generations have migrated in a body to Puerto Casado, Paraguay.

Legislation will be sought by the Saskatchewan Poultry Pool at the forthcoming session of the provincial legislature to provide for the incorporation of the cooperative company under a special act.

What is considered by many a drastic regulation was finally passed by the Saskatoon city council, being an enactment that on and after March 3 next, all public eating places and boarding houses serve milk with a glass in sealed bottles only.

Alfred Ellsworth, co-director with Rauld Amundsen in the expedition of the *Disco* Norge from Spitzbergen across the North Pole to Alaska, has been decorated by King Haakon. The decoration was the Grand Cross and the Royal Order of St. Olav.

Three hundred coolies, who were pressed into the Manchurian military forces, were taken to death en route to the Suiyuan area near the Mongolian border, and their bodies have been returned to the Chinese government, from where they started, says a dispatch received here.

The Medicine Hat News says that on his return from Havana, F. W. Gershaw, Liberal member for Medicine Hat, announced that he had been successful in interesting the secretary of state in the proposal to create the anniversary day of the Armistice a national holiday. The date will no longer be continued with Thanksgiving Day.

The radio branch of the department of marine and fisheries announces the following western Canadian provinces were successful and obtained certificate of proficiency in radio telegraphy: Amherst, J. H. Meamount, Lethbridge, Alberta; J. H. Macdonald, Calgary, Alberta; A. R. Maxwell, Black Lake, B.C.; A. J. W. Sullivan, Savary Island, B.C.; J. W. Spruce, Vancouver, B.C.; S. H. Birch, Winnipeg, Man.

## Great Immigration Magnet

Peace River District Desired to Attract Many Settlers

In a recent circular on the success of Herman Treile, at the International Grain and Hay Show, Chicago, the Vancouver Sun states: "Herman Treile, age 30, of Wenatchee, Peace River, Alberta, has won the world's championship for both wheat and oats. This means two things: it means that the Peace River District will produce the best grain on the face of the earth, and it means that Peace River will offer unparalleled agricultural opportunities for young men."

"The fact that Peace River has grown the world's best grain should be broadcast in every country where agricultural workers are at it. Just such facts as this, dramatizing the wonderful fertility of this area, that will sell the rich acres of Peace River to the world."

"Peace River, with its marvelous productive ability, its thousands of virgin acres, its cheap land, is destined to become the great immigration magnet of Western Canada."

## Barned Claims Honor

Referring to a notice appeared in a journal recently that there are now 650,000 numbers of the boys' and girls' club, composed of North America, Mr. J. D. McCreight, Brandon, Man., said that it is notable that the very first event of his kind held anywhere was in Peace River. "These accomplishments have done more to encourage good live stock breeding and creating more interest in stock generally than any other event any where," he said.

## China's Chief Exports

The chief exports of China are silk, tea, beans, bristles for brushes, chinaware, earthenware and pottery, cotton both raw and manufactured, furs, fish and shell products, fruit, hemp, hides, mats and matting, medicinal herbs, oil, paper, silk, rice, tobacco, wax, wool, sugar, tea, tobacco and wool.

Many a man's wife dresses stylishly, if because his creditors can afford it.

It's easy to feel a man who has no faith in human nature.

W. N. U. 1661

## Cold In France

Earthquakes In Mid-Atlantic Channel

France is shivering this winter in the coldest weather that has been experienced for twenty years and seven days but the blame on earthquakes in mid-Atlantic and the Gulf Stream.

They have been taking the temperature of ocean water along the Atlantic coast and have reported that every year the ocean is growing colder. In their opinion the day is not a thousand years distant when Iceland will be a winter resort and France will be deserted except during a few months of the summer.

If the Gulf Stream, which gives certain parts of France its mild winters, is shifted only a few hundred miles out of its course by further changes of the ocean's bottom, the heat bringing waters from the tropics will lay a course for Iceland and might even bring winter rainstorms to Greenland. Scientists feared that the Atlantic earthquakes, which lifted the ocean floor off the French coast, while at the same time caused the Gulf Stream to sink deeper, had pulled the Gulf Stream further out towards the middle of the sea.

It is the waters in that stream which make certain Channel Islands and parts of the French Atlantic coast as warm in winter as Florida or the Riviera. France has always been herself grateful to nature for the central heating system, but scientists now point out that the ocean's bottom and the central heat will be turned off. The storm blowing down from the North Sea would then give France the winter temperature of Siberia.

## World's Poultry Congress

Delegates to Attend From Four Quarters of the Earth

Exhibits at the World's Poultry Congress to be held in Ottawa, July 21 to August 4, 1927, will cover more than two hundred thousand square feet of floor space and will make a record for size and scope in agricultural exhibitions. The national ornamental exhibits will occupy a floor space of fifty-five thousand square feet. There will be approximately 100,000 live birds on exhibition, and these will include specimens of every breed and variety in the American standard of perfection. Commercial exhibits will be one of the main attractions, and one incubator manufacturer has announced that he will have seven thousand square feet of space.

Among the European countries that have decided to send delegates to the Congress are: Germany, Romania, Italy, Russia, Denmark, Poland, Belgium, Holland, Spain, and Latvia. The meeting of the people of Europe with the English-speaking people of the old and new worlds and the ladies of South America, at the Congress will, it is believed, do much to promote national friendship, and encourage good fellowship.

## Settler From Illinois Satisfied

Farming Conditions in Canada Compared With the United States

"Twenty-five years ago, W. H. Garrison came to Westbrook, Alberta, from Clinton, Illinois, and took up 160 acres of homestead land. He then had \$400 in capital. He now owns 850 acres, 500 of which are under cultivation, and he estimates the value of his farm at \$10,000."

In a letter written recently to the Edmonton, Alberta, Board of Trade, Mr. Garrison states that he likes Alberta very much. The taxes, he says, are lower than in the United States, the educational advantages in the rural districts are good and the land cannot be surpassed for fertility. After 23 years' experience he states that in his opinion anyone coming to Western Canada, willing to work and accept the law, will find it to be a most profitable and healthy life. He is now settled in Westbrook, Alberta, and is now settled in Westbrook, Alberta, and is now settled in Westbrook, Alberta.

## Record Salmon Pack

All previous records have been broken by the salmon pack in British Columbia for 1926. It is estimated that the total pack for this year, when all returns in, will be, in round figures, 1,000,000 cases. The pack for 1925 was 850,000 cases. The pack for 1924 was 750,000 cases. The pack for 1923 was 650,000 cases. The pack for 1922 was 550,000 cases. The pack for 1921 was 450,000 cases. The pack for 1920 was 350,000 cases. The pack for 1919 was 250,000 cases. The pack for 1918 was 150,000 cases. The pack for 1917 was 100,000 cases. The pack for 1916 was 50,000 cases. The pack for 1915 was 25,000 cases. The pack for 1914 was 12,500 cases. The pack for 1913 was 6,250 cases. The pack for 1912 was 3,125 cases. The pack for 1911 was 1,562 cases. The pack for 1910 was 781 cases. The pack for 1909 was 390 cases. The pack for 1908 was 195 cases. The pack for 1907 was 97 cases. The pack for 1906 was 48 cases. The pack for 1905 was 24 cases. The pack for 1904 was 12 cases. The pack for 1903 was 6 cases. The pack for 1902 was 3 cases. The pack for 1901 was 1 case. The pack for 1900 was 0 cases. The pack for 1899 was 0 cases. The pack for 1898 was 0 cases. The pack for 1897 was 0 cases. The pack for 1896 was 0 cases. The pack for 1895 was 0 cases. The pack for 1894 was 0 cases. The pack for 1893 was 0 cases. The pack for 1892 was 0 cases. The pack for 1891 was 0 cases. The pack for 1890 was 0 cases. The pack for 1889 was 0 cases. The pack for 1888 was 0 cases. The pack for 1887 was 0 cases. The pack for 1886 was 0 cases. The pack for 1885 was 0 cases. The pack for 1884 was 0 cases. The pack for 1883 was 0 cases. The pack for 1882 was 0 cases. The pack for 1881 was 0 cases. The pack for 1880 was 0 cases. The pack for 1879 was 0 cases. The pack for 1878 was 0 cases. The pack for 1877 was 0 cases. The pack for 1876 was 0 cases. The pack for 1875 was 0 cases. The pack for 1874 was 0 cases. The pack for 1873 was 0 cases. The pack for 1872 was 0 cases. 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## VILLAGE OF CHAMPION

## TAX RECOVERY ACT

NOTICE is hereby given that the following lands will be sold by public auction on Saturday, February 12th, 1927, at the hour of 2 p.m. sharp, in the Village office.

All parcels are subject to a reserve bid.

Lot 3, Block 2, Plan 6005 A G, Champion.

Lot 8, Block 6, Plan 6005 A G, Champion.

Lot 13, Block 6, plan 6004 A G, Champion.

Lot 27, Block 5, Plan 6005 A G, Champion.

Lots 11 and 12, Block 8, Plan 6005 A G, Champion.

H. COOPER, Sec.-Treas.

Dr. R. R. McIntyre  
DENTIST

714 Herald Block, Calgary.  
Will be at Champion all day Monday each week.  
Appointments may be arranged at Moffatt's Hardware.

## J. FRED SCOTT LL.B.

Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public, of 213 Lancaster Building Calgary, will be in Champion every Thursday afternoon, in old Municipal office.

## Children's Clothes

## Dry Cleaned Free!

In order to keep our staff on full time during the quiet season we are going to clean the children's clothes absolutely FREE.

With every \$1.50 worth of other work sent in we will Dry Clean and Press, without charge, one child's garment (up to 12 years). Do not overlook this opportunity as it is equivalent to a saving of approximately 30 per cent. to you.

This offer expires on February 26, 1927.

The Don Cleaning  
and Dyeing Co.

CALGARY

Watch for the Don Car every Wednesday

A Want Ad. Will Do It.

## Local and General

A report was in circulation here last week that C. H. Sitten had been either seriously hurt or killed in an accident at Long Beach. When inquired into this proved to be a groundless rumor.

The recent improvements in the Savoy Hotel and the Savoy Cafe have reached completion and the results achieved are highly creditable to J. W. Murphy, the new proprietor. Both hotel and cafe have benefited to a remarkable degree by the changes made.

The chinook winds are very persistent this winter, reaching the stage of a real nuisance when clouds of dust are driven over the country. The absence of snow and bare summer-fallows are contributing to the objectionable features of these winds. If they will blow themselves out before spring and summer comes everyone will be pleased.

Two interesting competitions are in progress at the curling rink. The first is for prizes contributed by the patron and ice committee, while J. T. Stephenson and J. D. Henderson are the donors in the second contest. Many interesting games have already taken place in these competitions and some keen curling is anticipated before they are finished.

P. O. Semmers has purchased a building from C. McLean and moved it on to his premises in the subdivision, where it will be used as a garage.

The situation in China, which was quite alarming a week ago, would appear to hold less menace than was anticipated. With the coal strike barely over Great Britain would appear to have had enough trouble to last awhile. Everyone will be pleased if the Chinese trouble disappears.

The demand for duty on American magazines is a natural request from Canadian publishers who are trying to break into this field. The extent to which the country is being flooded with trashy publications is something that needs attention, and it is quite possible that a tariff high enough to stop the entry of this class of literature would, in the end, prove beneficial, even if more worthy publications were adversely affected thereby.

J. Jesse Strang, a well-known farmer of the Claresholm district, was elected as Director by the delegates from that district at a meeting held in the Wheat Pool office. Mr. Strang succeeds Hon. O. L. McPherson, who resigned when taking over the provincial portfolio of Public Works. The new director homesteaded 14 miles east of Claresholm in 1904. He now farms two sections of land there.

The province of Alberta is shipping alfalfa seed to Denmark this year for the first time in its history. An order for 50,000 pounds of Grimm alfalfa seed has been placed by Danish growers with Alberta growers. The total production of alfalfa seed in Alberta in 1926 was 500,000 pounds, compared with 300,000 pounds the year previous.

**THE PART HE PLAYED**  
The speaker was delivering a lecture on forestry. "I don't suppose," said he, "that a single person here has ever done anything to conserve our valuable timber."  
There was silence for a second and then a meek little man at the end of the hall arose and observed:  
"I once shot a woodpecker."

Old Time Dance  
At Alston

An old time dance will be held in Alston hall on Feb. 11. Music supplied by Fraser Bros. Carmangay. Admission \$1.00. Ladies free. The ladies are requested to bring cake.

UNITED CHURCH  
OF CANADA

Sunday, Feb. 13th, 1927

11 a. m.—Sunday School.  
11 a. m. service at Sanderson.  
3 p. m.—Service at Blusson.  
7:30—Evening Worship.  
Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, to which every sincere follower of Jesus is invited.

First Arrival of  
New Spring Goods!

**Ladies! Here is a chance to make up your Spring Dress of the latest materials and newest patterns:**

Fancy Victorian Prints in fifty new patterns, width 32 inches	35c
Price, per yard.....	
Fancy Cretonnes, 36 inch, in lots of new patterns, per yard.....	35c
Fancy Broadcloths, 36 inch, in a great variety of patterns, per yard.....	45c
New Cotton Pongees for dresses, in new patterns, 36 inch, per yard.....	45c
42 Inch Circular Pillow Cotton, real heavy weave, extra special, per yard....	50c
Cotton Crepes, extra heavy quality, in 12 new colors, a cloth well worth making up, priced at 4 yards for.....	95c
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at one o'clock in the afternoon, on

**Saturday February 19th,**

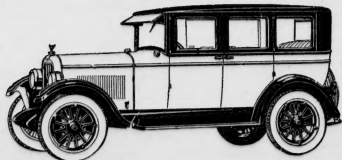
1927, for the discussion of the affairs of the district, and the nomination of candidates for the office of councillors for Divisions 2, 4 and 5, and that such nominations will be there and then received from the hour of three o'clock to the hour of four o'clock in the afternoon.

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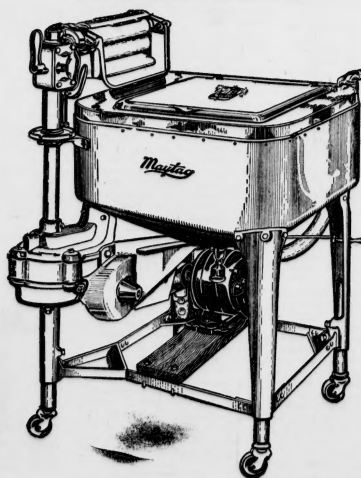
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